

Crop Progress and Condition



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Idaho Sugarbeet Harvest Wrapped Up

There were 4.1 days suitable for fieldwork, the same as reported the previous two weeks. Idaho continued to receive autumn moisture above seasonal norms. Temperatures remained above normal for mid-November. Idaho topsoil, subsoil moisture levels, and pasture and range conditions continued to improve for a third consecutive week. Several parts of northern Idaho received much-needed rain over the past two weeks. The sugarbeet harvest wrapped up in Idaho. Winter wheat completed emergence and the majority of the 2022 crop remained in fair to good condition. The corn for grain harvest picked up in south central Idaho where wet weather stalled the 2021 harvest. Other major activities included fall tillage and hauling manure.

Atmospheric River in Oregon; Pastures Improved

There were 5.1 days suitable for fieldwork, down from 5.4 the previous week. In northwest Oregon, there was localized flooding brought on from an atmospheric river event. Rain induced erosion on crop fields without cover. Fieldwork was limited due to soil conditions. Pastures rebounded with decent fall grazing options. Horticultural crops were in full winter preparation mode. Some standing water was reported in fields and rivers were into their flood plains. In north central Oregon, the area received a significant amount of rain, greening up grasses and helping wheat. Emerged wheat looked good. In northeast Oregon, precipitation was around average. Above average temperatures helped late planted winter wheat emerge. Winter canola did well. In southwest Oregon, continued rain and above normal temperatures helped fall seeded crops with good growth. Pastures improved. Most orchard, berry, and vineyard crops dropped their leaves and entered dormancy in good shape. Fruit bud development was excellent. In Lake County, recent precipitation improved topsoil moisture. Some fall grain crops showed growth.

Heavy Rainfall and Flooding Throughout Washington

There were 4.6 days suitable for fieldwork, down from 5.6 the previous week. Statewide temperatures were above normal. In San Juan County, cooler temperatures set in throughout the area. Wet conditions kept winter crops from being planted. Leaves mostly fell on perennial tree and berry crops. In Snohomish County, soils were saturated from rain and flooding showed up throughout the area. The harvest of fall vegetables continued in fields not affected by floods. In Yakima County, there was consistent rain throughout the area. Little agricultural activity happened due to high amounts of rainfall. A few fields were tilled under. In Lincoln County, there was significant rainfall throughout the area. Heavy precipitation helped soil moisture conditions.

Soil Moisture Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 11/14/21

Item and State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture Idaho Oregon Washington	1	14	73	12
	12	27	58	3
	15	31	48	6
Subsoil moisture Idaho Oregon Washington	4	45	48	3
	37	16	46	1
	32	31	33	4

Pasture, Range, and Crop Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 11/14/21

Crop and State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Pasture and range Idaho Oregon Washington		30 22 29	35 39 18	27 6 5	- 1 -
Winter wheat Idaho Oregon Washington	1 15 8	1 24 20	56 23 45	35 38 26	7 - 1

⁻ Represents zero.

Crop Progress — Idaho: Week Ending 11/14/21

	Percent completed				
Crop and activity	This	Last	Last	5 Year	
	week	week	year	average	
Winter wheat emerged	95	92	93	93	
Sugarbeets harvested	98	94	98	95	
Field corn harvested for grain		62	82	74	
Alfalfa hay 4th cutting	92	88	93	93	

Crop Progress — Oregon: Week Ending 11/14/21

	Percent completed				
Crop and activity	This	Last	Last	5 Year	
	week	week	year	average	
Winter wheat planted	96	94	99	98	
Winter wheat emerged	56	50	70	71	
Sugarbeets harvested	95	93	(NA)	(NA)	
Field corn harvested for grain	88	83	78	85	

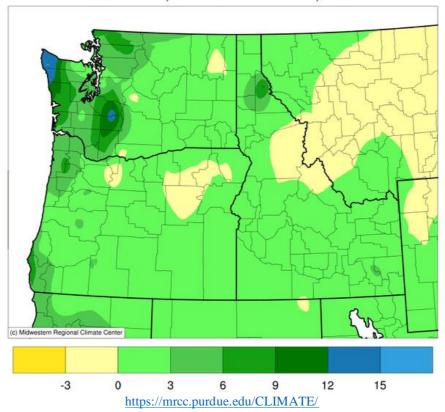
(NA) Not available.

Crop Progress — Washington: Week Ending 11/14/21

	Percent completed				
Crop and activity	This	Last	Last	5 Year	
	week	week	year	average	
Winter wheat emerged	92	86	94	88	
Field corn harvested for grain	93	83	93	81	

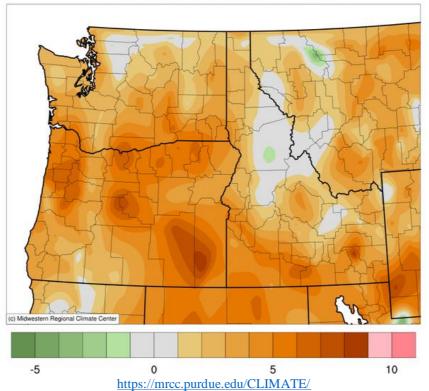
Accumulated Precipitation (in): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals

October 01, 2021 to November 14, 2021



Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals

November 08, 2021 to November 14, 2021



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